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## THE MAHOMED IS MISSING

The Fighting Was at Such Close Quar-  
ters That 500 Turkish Fugitives  
Suffered Dagger Wounds—  
Battle Near Gheesa.

Hodeidah, Arabia, June 23.—Rebels  
in great force surprised and cut up a  
Turkish column, commanded by  
Mahomed Ali Pasha, outside Gheesa  
town, on the Red sea. A thousand  
Turkish soldiers were killed and Ma-  
homed is missing.

The fighting was at such close quar-  
ters that five hundred Turkish fugitives  
suffered dagger wounds. A Turkish gun-  
boat, which was intended to shell the  
Arabs shelled the Gheesans instead, kill-  
ing hundreds of soldiers.

## THE DECISION REVERSED.

Memorial Day Game With Lowell  
Awarded to Lynn.

Boston, June 23.—The decision of  
President Murnane of the New Eng-  
land Baseball league throwing out the  
game played at Lowell on Memorial  
day morning was reversed last night at  
a meeting of the league in Boston, and  
the game was awarded to Lynn.

Evidence which had not been sub-  
mitted to the president led the league  
to change the decision according to the  
following statement given out by Sec-  
retary Jacob G. Morse:  
"The board of directors finds that an  
agreement was entered into by the  
Lowell and Lynn clubs to cease play-  
ing at 12 o'clock. However, the board  
is of the opinion that both clubs were  
negligent in seeing that the league an-  
nounced this agreement to the specta-  
tors. In justice to the president it  
appears that on the evidence submitted  
to him he was justified in making the  
decision which was promulgated. In  
view of the evidence submitted to the  
board, which was not brought to the  
attention of the president, the board  
decided that the game be awarded to  
Lynn."

It was announced that Empire Roostery  
who served last year, will rejoin the  
staff of umpires on Monday next.

HUNDRED LOADED  
LIGHTERS SUNK

Chile Has Big Cyclone, Which Stripped  
Ships of Their Masts and Blew  
Roofs Away—Rain Seldom  
Falls There.

Iquique, Chile, June 23.—A cyclone,  
accompanied by rain and high tempera-  
ture, is here. A hundred loaded lighters  
were sunk in the harbor and ships were  
stripped of their masts. The city roofs  
were blown away and in the panic that  
ensued many were injured. Rain al-  
most never falls here.

## AUTO DOWN INTO FIELD.

One Occupant Got Broken Ankle, An-  
other a Broken Wrist.

Franklin, N. H., June 23.—James W.  
Young of Boston, an automobile dealer,  
and Edwin B. Shaw of North Haver-  
hill, a business man, who had just  
bought a new touring car, were in-  
jured about two miles below this city  
yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Shaw had just replaced Young at  
the wheel, being inexperienced, the  
car got beyond his control and, push-  
ing through a barbed wire fence be-  
side the road, went into the field at  
the George B. Matthews farm and  
overturned.

Young was pinned beneath the car  
and his ankle was fractured. Shaw  
received a broken wrist. The auto  
was badly damaged. It was taken to  
a garage for repairs.

## SUSPECTED DEAD MAN

Turns Up Alive at Bath, Me., Yesterday,  
After a Dozen Years.

Bath, Me., June 23.—Alvin M. Mat-  
thews, once a fireman aboard the steam-  
er Portland, and who was supposed to  
have been drowned when the ship went  
down a dozen years ago, made his ap-  
pearance here yesterday.

Matthews left Bath 30 years ago and  
this was the first time he has been  
back. For a time he was employed  
as fireman on the ill-fated Portland, but  
left her just before she made her last  
voyage. His name was given, however,  
as among the crew.

## WANTS AMENDMENT.

Eliminating Recall Feature of Arizona  
Constitution.

Washington, D. C., June 23.—Dele-  
gate Cameron of Arizona to-day requested  
the Senate committee on territories to  
amend the Arizona constitution by elim-  
inating the provision to recall judges.  
He based his request on the opposition  
of the president to the feature, fearing  
that its retention would ultimately de-  
feat statehood.

## GOVERNMENT DEFEATED.

Ministry Is Expected to Resign—Ques-  
tion of Supreme Command at Issue.

Paris, June 23.—The government was  
defeated in the chamber of deputies to-  
day on the question relative to the su-  
preme command of the army in case of  
war. The ministry of Premier Monis is  
expected to resign.

## COFFERDAM IS ALL RIGHT.

Sensational Reports of Its Failure At  
Havana Denied.

Havana, June 23.—Sensational local  
reports of the failure of the Maine cof-  
ferdam received refutation last night  
from Brigadier General Bixby and Col-  
onel Black, the United States army en-  
gineers, who declared that the struc-  
ture was fulfilling all expectations and  
that the discontinuance of the pumping  
was fully in accord with the plans to  
test the structure thoroughly prior to  
lowering the water to any considerable  
depth.

The water level is now at 12 feet. The  
previous reduction of 15 feet was merely  
tentative. It was partly for the pur-  
pose of giving a preliminary view of por-  
tions of the berth deck in the after  
part, but mainly for the purpose of ob-  
serving and studying the effects of the  
exterior water pressure on the structure  
of the dam. This observation dis-  
closed some seepage of water which was  
not especially important, but was indi-  
cative of the necessity of caulking the  
interstices between the individual cas-  
ings.

General Bixby said that nothing had  
been observed in the behavior of the  
casings inconsistent with conditions  
foreseen by the board of engineers. The  
date of the complete removal of the wa-  
ter cannot yet be predicted, but prob-  
ably it will be many weeks hence, there  
not being any necessity for haste.

Captain Sigbee's walking stick was  
lost yesterday in his cabin. It was  
identified by the inscription on the han-  
dle.

## MYSTERIOUSLY MISSING.

Charles H. Fernald, Aged 36, Well  
Known Lumberman.

Brookfield, N. H., June 23.—Charles  
H. Fernald, aged 36, a well known  
lumberman, who for the past six  
months has been operating a large  
timber lot here for William H. Willey,  
jr., of Sanbornville, mysteriously dis-  
appeared from his lumber camp in  
this town three weeks ago.

The day before he was missed he had  
serious trouble with a man employed  
in a neighboring camp and the next  
day started to walk to the village.  
That was the last seen of him. The  
other man drew his pay about noon the  
same day and left town, being in the  
company of the evidence in the forenoon and  
doing no work.

For a few days after the departure  
of Mr. Fernald those employed at his  
camp supposed that he was away on  
business, but this continued absence  
alarmed them and they have communi-  
cated with the relatives and friends,  
finding no trace of him.

Yesterday the men of both camps,  
about 125, searched for him in the  
woods without success, and have asked  
the assistance of the selectman. Mr.  
Fernald is not a drinking man and the  
day before he disappeared had more  
than \$500 in his pocket, it being his  
custom to carry large sums of money.

## SWATTED THE REPORTER.

Illinois Legislator Attacked News Gath-  
er in Springfield, Ill.

Springfield, Ill., June 23.—Representa-  
tive Lee O'Neil Brown of LaSalle last  
night knocked down E. O. Phillips, leg-  
islative correspondent of the Chicago  
Tribune. Mr. Phillips was unconscious  
40 minutes. Since the inception of the  
Lorimer investigation, Brown and Phillips  
have been unfriendly and for more  
than a year have not spoken. Meeting  
in the speaker's room at the capitol  
last night, Mr. Phillips addressed  
Brown and the assemblyman immedi-  
ately struck Phillips. A physician, who  
attended the injured correspondent, said  
the blow, just back of the ear, might  
be serious.

Mr. Brown has been in the foreground  
ever since charges of bribery were made  
in connection with the election of Sen-  
ator Lorimer. Brown was named by  
former Representative Charles White in  
the original story, published in The Tri-  
bune, as the man who paid him \$1,000  
to vote for Lorimer. Brown was tried  
for bribery, but acquitted and later was  
re-elected to the legislature.

## TAFT AT FALL RIVER.

Studying Industry of America's Largest  
Cotton Manufacturing Center.

Fall River, June 23.—The biggest  
day's celebration since the building of  
the first cotton mill, the American, came  
to-day with the arrival of President  
Taft on the New York Mayflower. As an  
escort up the bay there was the bat-  
leship Connecticut and a fleet of torpedo  
boats and revenue cutters, which roared  
a salute. When the president landed,  
he walked up a velvet-carpeted wharf,  
where he met his military escort. He  
then rode in an automobile to the ex-  
position, where he held a reception and  
spoke in the south park. After the  
speaking, it is planned to take the pre-  
sident about the city to obtain an idea  
of the cotton industry in this, the largest  
cotton manufacturing center in the  
country. President Taft has an appoint-  
ment to speak in Providence this even-  
ing.

## HANGING IN STABLE.

Phillips, Me., Bank President, George  
A. French, a Suicide.

Phillips, Me., June 23.—The body of  
George A. French, president of the  
Phillips Savings bank, was found hang-  
ing yesterday in his stable. It is be-  
lieved that Mr. French committed sui-  
cide while temporarily unbalanced over  
minor troubles. He attended his usual  
duties about his home and the discovery  
of a suicide came as a great shock to  
his family. The banker, who was 60  
years of age, had for many years been  
one of the leading citizens and business-  
men of this section, having been an  
extensive dealer in cattle and lumber  
and was looked upon as one of the  
wealthiest men in the vicinity. He  
was a prominent Republican and a leader  
in Phillips' Congregational church.  
He is survived by a widow and a  
daughter, Miss Lucille French, an ac-  
complished musician.

## MADE 99 OUT OF 100.

Work of Harvey Dixon, an Amateur  
Trap Shooter.

Columbus, O., June 23.—Standing at  
twenty yards, Harvey Dixon of Orono-  
go, Me., an amateur, won the grand  
American handicap trap shoot, yester-  
day. He gets \$1,000 and the interstate  
trophy. His score was 99 out of 100.

HOMAGE PAID  
TO ROYALTY

King George and Queen Mary  
Show Themselves to People

## IN VERY BRILLIANT PARADE

As the Sovereign Passed Through the  
Center of the City Millions of Lights  
Were Turned On and Great Crowd  
In Royal Exchange Cheered.

London, June 23.—The king and  
queen to-day showed themselves to the  
masses, as distinct from the favored  
classes who were able to obtain ac-  
cess to the circumscribed area of yester-  
day's pageant. To-day's event was  
on a grander scale than that of the  
coronation. Between lines of cheering  
thousands the royal party made state-  
ly progress from Buckingham palace  
through the city, over London bridge  
and back to the palace. There were  
drizzling showers during the procession.

The pageant included four full squad-  
rons of cavalry, light guards, dragoons,  
hussars and lancers, each with a band;  
the war office staff, deputations of for-  
eign officers, the royal suite, colonial  
premiers, African troops, Canadian  
mounted police and foreign princes,  
with Indians as escorts. In the royal  
equipage with the king and queen  
rode Field Marshal Kitchener. The  
royal escort brought up the rear mak-  
ing a beautiful picture. The progress  
of the king and queen along the  
route was indeed royal and they were  
received everywhere with an uproar-  
ous volume of applause. The city  
was gaily decorated.

At the temple bar the lord mayor  
surrendered to the king the city's  
pearl sword. As the sovereigns passed  
through the center of the city, millions  
of lights were turned on and the great  
crowd in the royal exchange cheered.  
The field marshal was uniformed and  
the queen was dressed in white and  
wore a blue sash of the order of the  
garter. Her hat was trimmed with  
ostrich feathers in two shades of blue.  
The procession stopped several times  
and addresses were made by the borough  
heads. The king, in the southern bor-  
ough, paid tribute to the work done by  
the council to improve the conditions of  
the people, and it was promised that  
the duchy would continue to aid. The  
stirring day closed with an outburst  
when the sovereigns showed themselves  
on the balcony upon their return to  
the palace.

## ATTACKED HIS STORE.

Bennett S. Lougee of Saco, Me., Was  
Hit With Blackjack.

Saco, Me., June 23.—While Bennett S.  
Lougee, aged about 72, proprietor of a  
boot and shoe store and cobbling shop  
at 123 Main street, was working at his  
bench in the rear of his shop late yes-  
terday afternoon, a man crept into the  
place and struck Mr. Lougee two blows  
over the back of his head, probably with  
a blackjack.

The blows brought Mr. Lougee to his  
knees, but he recovered himself and  
started toward his assailant, who turned  
and fled. As he jumped from the door  
and started in the direction of Biddeford  
he slipped, and his weapon struck  
the big plate glass window in the front  
of the store, shattering it.

The man ran around the corner and  
disappeared down York hill before Mr.  
Lougee could give the alarm, though the  
store is in the busiest part of the city  
and many shoppers were passing at the  
time. Though they saw the man running,  
they made no attempt to stop him.

The police of both cities were notifi-  
ed and a posse of officers started in  
pursuit. Marshal Coughlin and several  
armed men went down the river late  
in the afternoon in a power boat, it hav-  
ing been reported that shortly after the  
attempted robbery, two men were seen  
pulling down the river in a dory. One  
of the men answered the description by  
Mr. Lougee, who says his assailant was  
tall and slim, dressed in black clothes  
and wore a cap. Mr. Lougee said that  
he never saw him before.

Mr. Lougee's head was cut open by  
the blows and he was dazed for some  
minutes after the attack. It is supposed  
the man intended to knock Mr. Lougee  
down and then go through his pockets  
and rifle the cash drawer.

## NOT MUCH FATIGUED.

Their Majesties Went Through the Phys-  
ical Endurance Well.

London, June 23.—Official announce-  
ment was made last night from Buck-  
ingham that their majesties stood well  
of the physically trying ordeal and were  
but little fatigued. After luncheon, for  
which all the members of their suites  
remained, their majesties spent the  
hours quietly. In the evening they dined  
in family, the only guests being the  
royal representatives residing in the pal-  
ace.

The queen mother, Alexandra, the  
Princess Victoria and the Dowager Em-  
press of Russia spent the day at Sand-  
ringham and attended coronation service  
at the parish church.

At ten o'clock last night a ring of  
bonfires around London burst into flame.  
All the illuminations were extinguished  
by order of the police about midnight,  
however, and the tired crowds retired  
early to their homes.

The only serious accident during the  
course of the day was that to Capt.  
Leslie MacCowan, commanding the Cana-  
dian mounted contingent escorting the  
king to the Abbey. He was thrown  
from his horse and badly injured. He  
was taken to a hospital.

## LOCOMOTIVE RECOVERED.

After Being In the Mud at Cambridge  
Since Last Winter.

Burlington, June 23.—The famous  
old B. & L. locomotive that has been  
stuck in the mud beside the railroad  
track between Cambridge and Under-  
hill since Dec. 31, 1910, has at last  
been restored to the rails. It has been  
taken to the Central Vermont shops  
at St. Albans. The locomotive, at-  
tached to a local, left Cambridge, on  
the morning of Dec. 31, 1910, bound  
for Essex Junction. The track runs  
through the mountains and during a  
sudden thaw the water rose several  
feet over the track and then froze.

When the wheels hit the ice pack it  
rose in the air and was thrown to one  
side between the mountain and the  
track. When the spring thaw came it  
settled into the mud almost out of  
sight.

As a sequel to the accident a damage  
suit was filed in Chittenden county  
court June 17, in which Emily Bedard,  
a freeman, seeks to recover \$10,000 for  
injuries alleged to have been sustained  
when the locomotive left the track.  
Bedard claims negligence on the part  
of the railroad.

## SAVED FROM DROWNING.

Laura Dresser of Lowell, Mass., Had  
Tried to End Her Life.

Lowell, Mass., June 23.—Miss Laura  
Dresser, aged 22, a domestic, attempted  
suicide by drowning at Lake Massachus-  
etts last night. She was rescued by two  
young men and brought to Lowell by  
Mr. Cody, the custodian at Lakeview.  
The young woman did not appear to  
suffer much physically from the attempt  
to end her life. She lives at 14  
Ralph street, Lowell, and says she was  
despondent after being discharged at a  
summer house in Tyngsboro because  
she was not physically strong enough  
to do the work. Her parents have  
been notified by the police.

STOKES WAS SCARED  
BY THE FLASHLIGHT

Man Who Had Twice Been Shot  
Thought He Was Again a Target  
When Photographer Set Off  
the Powder.

New York, June 23.—Supported by  
his counsel and leaning heavily on a  
cane, W. E. D. Stokes, the millionaire  
hotel proprietor, who, a fortnight ago,  
was shot by Lillian Graham and Ethel  
Conrad, two chorus girls, appeared in  
court yesterday against them.

As he stepped from his automobile a  
photographer's flashlight went off with  
a roar and Mr. Stokes, thinking that  
he had been shot again, screamed and  
stumbled. He was so shaken by his  
fright that a halt of several minutes  
was taken before he could walk again.  
Following a brief examination, the  
two girls were held in \$5,000 bail on  
the charge of attempted murder. There  
will be a further examination into the  
case on July 6.

## PRIZE FIGHTER SENTENCED.

But "Sandy" Ferguson Took An Appeal  
On His Conviction.

Boston, June 23.—John A. Fergu-  
son, aged 32, better known as "Sandy"  
Ferguson, was sentenced to six months  
in the house of correction in the  
East Boston court yesterday, but ap-  
pealed and was held in \$200 for the  
superior court. He is alleged to have  
thrown a frying pan at hot fat at his  
wife at their home, 127 Paris street,  
East Boston, Tuesday. Mrs. Ferguson  
bared her left arm in court yesterday  
and it was discolored near the elbow.

## DIVIDEND PASSED.

Salmon Falls Manufacturing Company  
Has Been Curtailing.

Boston, Mass., June 23.—The Salmon  
Falls Manufacturing company has passed  
its semi dividend of 3 per cent., usually  
payable July 1. The company operated  
cotton mills at Salmon Falls, N. H. The  
mills have been curtailing the output  
for some time.

## RECIPROCITY BILL WILL PASS.

Chairman Penrose Says New Coalition  
Will Not Defeat It.

Washington, D. C., June 23.—Chair-  
man Penrose of the Senate committee  
on finance says the Canadian reciproc-  
ity bill will not fail by reason of the  
new coalition between insurgents and  
Republicans.

## The Governorship.

The friends of both Hon. Allen M.  
Fletcher and Lieut. Gov. Slack have al-  
ready taken occasion to note that if  
these gentlemen become candidates for  
governor next year neither one will re-  
spond to the improper use of money in  
the conduct of the pre-convention cam-  
paign. The St. Albans Messenger calls  
attention to the fact that:

"Mr. Fletcher was a member of the  
committee on resolution of the last Re-  
publican state convention and subscribed  
to its platform plank declaring for pub-  
licity of campaign expenses. He em-  
ployed his best endeavors to secure the  
enactment of that proposition into law  
while a member of the legislature of  
1910. It is just as certain of becoming  
law one of these days as any other  
indisputable proposition of right  
and wrong."

The prospects are pretty favorable at  
this time for a pre-convention Republi-  
can canvass for the governorship in 1912,  
that will be so free of "barrels" that  
even a bung hole cannot be found on  
the premises of a candidate. All of  
which will fully meet public approval.—  
Northfield News.

The Perry Automobile Co. will run  
their Russell auto truck stage from Barre  
to Hardwick every week-day. It will go  
by way of East Montpelier, Plainfield,  
North Montpelier, East Calais, Wood-  
bury pond, South Woodbury and Wood-  
bury, leaving Barre post office at 7:30  
and connecting with the train from  
Montpelier to Wells River at East Mont-  
pelier. Orders may be left at room 3,  
Howard Bros. and Clark Block, or tele-  
phone 272-1, Barre. Perry Automobile  
Co.

BARRE IS NEXT  
TO HIGHEST

In Manufactured Products in  
Vermont, Says U. S. Bureau.

## THE VALUE WAS \$3,852,000.

Burlington Was the Leading City With  
\$6,800,000—Rutland's Products In  
1909 Amounted to \$2,680,000—  
Comparisons With 1904.

According to the figures prepared by  
the United States census bureau and  
announced at Washington to-day by  
Acting Census Director Falkner, Barre  
ranks second in Vermont in the value  
of manufactured products, the total for  
the year 1909, covered by the census,  
being \$3,852,000, which was an increase  
of fourteen per cent over the last  
previous census of manufactures in  
1904. Burlington leads with a total  
product of \$6,800,000, a gain of seven  
per cent. Rutland's total product was  
\$2,680,000 showing a gain of six per  
cent.

The figures were prepared by Wil-  
liam M. Steuart, chief statistician for  
manufactures, the census bureau. In  
the case of Barre the summary shows  
the percentages of increase as fol-  
lows: 107 per cent in the number of  
salaried officials and clerks; 46 per cent  
in capital invested; 32 per cent in the  
number of establishments; 24 per cent  
in salaries and wages; 22 per cent in  
the cost of materials used; 14 per cent  
in the value of products; 11 per cent  
in the value added by manufac-  
ture; and 6 per cent in the  
average number of wage earners.  
There was a decrease of 52 per cent  
in miscellaneous expenses.

There were 139 establishments in  
1909, as compared with 105 in 1904;  
an increase of 34, or 32 per cent.  
The value of products represents  
\$3,852,000, and \$3,373,000 in 1904;  
an increase of \$479,000, or 14 per cent.  
The average per establishment was  
approximately \$28,000 in 1909, and  
about \$32,000 in 1904.

Barre's Summary.

Further details can be drawn from  
the tabular summary which follows:

	1909	1904	Per cent of in-crease
Number of es-tablishments	139	105	32
Capital	\$2,481,000	\$1,699,000	46
Cost of ma-terials used	\$1,088,000	\$969,000	22
Salaries and wages	\$2,051,000	\$1,652,000	24
Miscellaneous expenses	\$185,000	\$387,000	52
Value of prod-ucts	\$3,852,000	\$3,373,000	14
Value added by manufac-ture (prod-ucts less cost of ma-terials)	\$2,744,000	\$2,404,000	11
Employees:			
Number of salaried offi-cials and clerks	221	107	107
Average num-ber of wage earners em-ployed dur-ing the year	2,340	2,108	6

\*Decrease.  
Rutland Statistics.

	1909	1904	Per cent of in-crease
Number of es-tablishments	63	51	24
Capital	\$2,650,000	\$2,180,000	22
Cost of ma-terials used	\$1,207,000	\$1,162,000	4
Salaries and wages	\$924,000	\$969,000	5
Miscellaneous expenses	\$171,000	\$239,000	28
Value of prod-ucts	\$2,680,000	\$2,523,000	6
Value added by manufac-ture (prod-ucts less cost of ma-terials)	\$1,473,000	\$1,361,000	8
Employees:			
Number of salaried offi-cials and clerks	174	115	51
Average num-ber of wage earners em-ployed dur-ing the year	1,636	1,803	9

\*Decrease.  
Burlington Statistics.

	1909	1904	Per cent of in-crease
Number of es-tablishments	82	67	22
Capital	\$6,400,000	\$5,124,000	26
Cost of ma-terials used	\$4,323,000	\$3,804,000	14
Salaries and wages	\$1,337,000	\$1,115,000	20
Miscellaneous expenses	\$608,000	\$807,000	23
Value of prod-ucts	\$6,800,000	\$6,356,000	7
Value added by manufac-ture (prod-ucts less cost of ma-terials)	\$2,477,000	\$2,552,000	3
Employees:			
Number of salaried offi-cials and clerks	353	238	48
Average num-ber of wage earners em-ployed dur-ing the year	2,371	2,300	3

\*Decrease.  
The value value of products represents their selling value or price at the

STRANGE CASE  
IS RECALLED

By Arrest of Three People at  
Dayton, Me., To-day

## TWO ACCUSED OF MURDER

In September, 1908, Charles Weymouth  
Disappeared—The Authorities Are  
Working On Theory That He  
Was Beaten to Death.

Biddeford, Me., June 23.—On the  
strength of information given the au-  
thorities to support the allegation that  
Charles Weymouth, a Saco butcher, who  
disappeared in September, 1908, was  
murdered, the sheriffs to-day arrested  
Joseph Buzzell, Olney Merrill and Mrs.  
Maude Snow of Dayton. All three were  
taken to Alfred and will be arraigned  
there. The two men will be charged  
with murder and the woman as being  
an accessory. It is alleged by the au-  
thorities that Weymouth was beaten to  
death at Mrs. Snow's home and that the  
body of the man was placed in a box  
and buried near the house. The offi-  
cers endeavored to locate the body.

Weymouth was a nephew of the mayor  
of Saco. It is alleged that Weymouth  
was infatuated with Mrs. Snow and  
that he called at her home one day in  
September when he saw Buzzell and  
Merrill approaching. "For God's sake,"  
he is said to have exclaimed, "Don't tell  
I'm here."

The police informants say that Wey-  
mouth then hid in a room but was found  
by the men and dragged into the kitchen,  
where he was given a terrible beating,  
it being alleged that he was knocked  
over a desk with such force that the  
desk was broken and Weymouth became  
unconscious and died. It is alleged that  
Weymouth's body was put in a box,  
and the box being short, the feet were  
doubled over and the body was jumped  
on until it could be crowded in. The  
improvised coffin, it is alleged, was  
buried near a brook.

Of the two male prisoners, Buzzell is  
a farmer by occupation and Merrill is